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[Despatch Abstract.]

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL: Motion - Raising the Arts College, Mangalore, to the first grade.

DEMAND XIX

Mr. K.R.Karant.

p.218 14 To reduce the allotment of Rs.8,68,500 for Government Arts Colleges by Rs.1

(to raise the Government College, Mangalore to a first grade college)

(Y), (J) & (S)

(J) The question of raising the Government College, Mangalore to the first grade has been considered on previous occasions and I had informed the public of an address presented to H.E. the Governor by the members of the Mangalore Municipal Council during his recent visit to the place in October last. Question of Law-Legislative Council

(S) Shri Karant, the mover of this motion, in November last. The Government has been unable to entertain the proposal for the following reasons: (1) An first grade college already exists in the town — the St. Aloysius College — [illegible] College which, till recently, prepared students for the B.A. Degree examination in Mathematics, Mental and Moral Science and History has now made provision, with the aid of large grants from Government, for the teaching of Science. The College is now affiliated to the University in Mathematics

Physics, Chemistry, mental & moral science
History & Economics branches. Students of
communities are admitted in the College
is therefore no scope for two first grade col
in the town.

2) The policy of the govt is t
carry on the expansion of higher education, a
far as possible, through aided agency. It
more economical to aid a college established by a
private agency than to run one under direct
departmental management. If the govt College
Mangalore, is raised to the first grade, it w
affect adversely the strength of the St Aloy
College, Mangalore.

3) The govt have recently
raised the second grade college at Palghat t
the first grade. The college has, to begin with,
affiliated in the History & Language groups o
the B.A. course. There is demand for opening
classes in other subjects also in the College wh
will result in considerable expenditure to govt
It may not be practicable for govt to meet
further additional expenditure on collegiate edu
in the West coast by raising the
govt College, Mangalore, to the first grade.

4) It has been urged on fo
from time to time that it is necessary to
raise the govt second grade College at Coimbo

to the parent grade. One gets
inability to comply with the request. If another
first grade college should be opened in or near the
West Coast, the claims of Coimbatore may have to
be given preference to those of Trivandrum where
there is already a first grade college